



UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20415

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YOUR REFERENCE

DD/ST# 18,255-

Honorable Richard Helms
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. Helms:

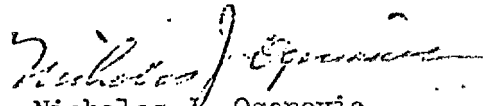
The Commissioners have approved your request for an exception
from the reduction-in-military-retirement-pay provision of 5 U.S.C.
5532(b) for [redacted] whom you are considering **STATINTL**

the post of Assistant Deputy Director for Science and Technology.

The exception will be effective for as long as he remains employed
with the Central Intelligence Agency.

By direction of the Commission:

Sincerely yours,


Nicholas J. Oganovic
Executive Director